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Title: METHOD FOR SETTING AN OPTIMAL PREFERENCE POLICY FOR AN AUCTION

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| (1) FOR | (2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | (3) NUMBER EXTRA | (4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | (5) PRESENT EXTRA | (6) RATE | (7) ADDITIONAL FEES |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | 21 | MINUS | 24 | = 0 | X \$50 | \$ 0 |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | 3 | MINUS | 3 | = 0 | X \$200 | \$ 0 |
| [] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM | | | | | + \$360 | \$ 0 |
| EXTENSION FEE | 1ST MONTH \$120.00 | 2ND MONTH \$450.00 | 3RD MONTH \$1020.00 | 4TH MONTH \$1590.00 | | \$ 0 |
| OTHER FEES | | | | | | \$ |
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GULER, Kemal, et al.

Serial No. 09/902,880

Filing Date: July 10, 2001

For: METHOD FOR SETTING AN
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POLICY FOR AN AUCTION

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Hon. Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on April 29, 2005, please amend the above captioned patent application as follows and consider the following remarks.

The amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this responsive paper.

The Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of the Claims, which begins on page 4 of this responsive paper.

The Remarks, with arguments, begin on page 15 of this responsive paper.